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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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Examiner : Hezron Williams  
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AND ANALYSIS ASSEMBLY  
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Dear Sir:

PETITION AND FEE FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application for a period of one (1) month.
2. Applicant is:
  - ☒ a small entity
  - ☐ other than small entity
3.
 

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$ 420.00	\$210.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$ 950.00	\$475.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00
4. A Brief on Appeal:
  - ☒ is filed herewith
  - ☐ has been filed
5. Fee Payment:
  - ☒ Attached is a check in the amount of \$55.00.
  - ☒ Please charge any additional fees required or credit any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 22-0190. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>		Docket No. (Optional) 20272-00710-US										
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<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):</p> <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ 420.00</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td> <td style="text-align: right;">\$ _____</td> </tr> </table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>22-0185</u>.</p> <p>I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p>I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number _____</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) <u>45,254</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <u>May 6, 2004</u> Date         </p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <u>(202) 331-7111</u> Telephone Number         </p> <p style="text-align: center;">  Signature         </p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <u>C. Keith Montgomery</u> Typed or printed name         </p> <p><small>NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.</small></p>			<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ _____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$ 420.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$ _____
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